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SKIRMISHES PROMISE EARLY BATTLE CITY COUNCIL SETS DATE FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTION

CITY ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON MAY NINTH

Three Councilmen Will
Be Elected; No Hats
Are Yet In Ring

Monday, May 9, is municipal
election.

There are three councilmen to be
elected.

The council at its meeting last
evening adopted a resolution call-
ing the election for that date, fix-
ing the polling places, and naming
the election officers.

There will be 38 polling places
and the polls will be open from 6
a. m. to 7 p. m.

The compensation of the election
officers was fixed at \$7.50
each.

There will be one inspector, one
judge and two clerks at each pol-
ling place.

Three Terms Expire
If six or less candidates file
nomination papers, there will not
be a primary election, but if there
are seven petitions filed, a pri-
mary election will be held on
April 25, 1927.

The councilmen whose terms ex-
pire are J. H. Hartnett, J. H.
Plate, and Marie Ogborn.

Petitions of candidates must be
filed 25 days before election.

At the present time no names
of prospective candidates have
been suggested.

Fire Marshal Will Speak At Lions Meeting

Fire Marshall J. W. Stevens will
be speaker of the day at the meet-
ing of the Richmond Lions club in
Hotel Carquinez at noon to-
day. Fire prevention will be the
keynote of the session. Stevens
will explain fire hazards, and
methods of coping with the prob-
lem of fire loss, in keeping with
fire prevention month now in pro-
gress.

The well known Oakland fire
department orchestra will furnish
the musical entertainment. T. D.
Morgan is chairman for the event.

Program For Credit Meet To Be Snappy

An interesting program of en-
tertainment will spice the meet-
ing of the Richmond credit rating bu-
reau here next Monday night, ac-
cording to Marie Macdonald Jen-
sen, secretary.

F. Wingfield, a clog dancer and
soloist of note, has been scheduled
while Mrs. Bemish Pearson will
deliver a dramatic reading.

As the April meeting has been
cancelled because of the fact that
the get-together dinner of the
Merchants' association falls on the
scheduled meeting date, it is ex-
pected that there will be an un-
usually large attendance.

Police Fines For Feb. Total \$770

In the police court during the
month of February there were 63
cases handled and in 32 of them
fines were paid. The total amount
of fines for the month was \$770.

Hupmobile-Four
Excellent Condition, Good Tires
A Bargain at \$275
Lud Johnson
202 14th Street

Airmen Held for Ransom

The Uruguayan flyers held for ransom by Moorish tribesmen after
the plane in which they attempted to cross Atlantic was wrecked
near Cape Juby, Morocco, are shown just before they hopped off
from Malagabese. (Left to right) are Maj. Tadeo Larre-Borges,
Capt. Jose Ibarri, Capt. Glauco Larre-Borges and Jose Figolu,
mechanic.



LIVES PERILED IN CRASH OF RODEO FERRY

Crashing head on at full speed
into the Rodeo wharf of the Ro-
deo Vellejo Ferry company, the
ferry steamer San Jose yesterday
wrecked the landing portion of
the pier to the extent of \$2500,
and littered the deck of the boat
with portions of the shattered
structure. Little damage was done
to the vessel itself, but the
lives of scores of passengers and
members of the crew were im-
periled.

The ship was held fast in the
wreckage blocking traffic. It is
still wedged there with eleven
automobiles on board. An in-
vestigation is under way to de-
termine the cause of the accident
which is supposedly accounted for
due to a mistaken signal.

McFarlane Rites To Be Held Today

Last rites for Mrs. Elizabeth
Jane McFarlane, widely known
resident of Richmond, who passed
away at Berkeley sanitarium Sun-
day evening at the age of 80 years
will be conducted from the Wilson
and Kratzer chapel this afternoon
at 2 o'clock with Rev. Earl W.
Haney officiating. Interment will
follow in Mount View cemetery,
Oakland.

Mrs. McFarlane was a native of
Ontario, Canada, and had lived in
Richmond for the past five years.
She is survived by her daughter,
Mrs. Mabel Bee, with whom she
resided at 420 Eighth street, and
six sons, Edwin G. and Arthur A.
McFarlane, of Louisa, Idaho; I.
W. McFarlane, of Santa Anna;
H. W. McFarlane, of Tacoma,
Washington; J. M. and E. R. Mc-
Farlane of San Francisco.

Council Continues Lighting Petition

At the meeting of the council
last evening the petition of resi-
dents in the neighborhood of 38th
and Cutting for a street light was
continued for another week.

VISIT IN TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McMann,
well known Richmond couple, left
last night for a visit in different
parts of Texas. They plan to in-
clude San Antonio and Galveston
on their itinerary. McMann is yard
clerk for the Southern Pacific
railroad company here.

Set Date For Dinner Dance Of Merchants

The date for the "employee-em-
ployer" dinner dance which will be
staged by the Richmond Mer-
chants' association to foster a
better spirit of co-operation be-
tween merchant and employee, was
definitely set for April 18 at the
Carquinez.

At the meeting yesterday Chair-
man R. Johnson appointed Al Fur-
rer, John Regello, W. G. Mayer,
Herbert Schrader and Ward Mc-
Racken to a committee to attend
to details of the affair.

A special dinner will be served
and a number of interesting en-
tertainment numbers and stunts
are being programmed for the
occasion. As the affair will occur
the day after Easter, it is expected
that it will be particularly joyful
after the long lenten season.

To co-operate with the associa-
tion in its dinner dance, the Rich-
mond credit rating bureau has
cancelled its meeting date which
was scheduled for that night.

Oakland Man Hurt In Auto Accident

Hoyt Irwin, of Oakland, was
painfully cut about the head and
Harry E. Bennett, 3260 Kansas
street, Oakland, sustained severe
bruises Sunday morning, when
the automobile driven by Bennett
skidded on the slippery pavement
on Franklin canyon highway near
Muir Gardens and overturned
after crashing through a fence.
Several stitches were necessary to
close the wounds in Irwin's scalp.

Local Vocalist In Concert Over KFWI

Mrs. Violet Williams, popular
Richmond vocalist, offered a num-
ber of pleasing selections over
radio station KFWI, San Francisco,
from 8:30 to 9 o'clock last night.
Her program included: "La Gol-
ondrina," by Narcisco Serravallo; "I
Love You Truly," by Bond, and
"The Wanderer," by Nell Moret.
Other special numbers will be
"Mother Macree," "My Villa,"
from "The Merry Widow," and the
"Message of the Violet," from the
"Prince of Pilsen."

ASKS EXTENSION

At the meeting of the council
last evening Councilman W. W.
Scott, chairman of the street com-
mittee asked for further time to
make a report on the petition
filed for the improvement of por-
tions of Prather avenue and Key
boulevard.

Petting Party Bandit Changes Plea Of Guilty At Arraignment

DeCosta Denies Guilt In
Series of Holdups
Committed Here

Abruptly changing from his for-
mer attitude of resistance, Man-
uel De Costa, confessed member of
the petting party bandits, who
inaugurated a reign of terror in
Costa county last week, and which
ended in Manuel Duarte's slaying,
of Frank Malley, alias Allen, this
afternoon entered a plea of not
guilty to the three counts of rob-
bery placed against him when
arraigned before Superior Judge
H. V. Alvarado. He will be
brought to trial Tuesday, March
22.

DeCosta pleaded not guilty to a
charge of robbing Melvin Sjo-
berg, 2817 Union street, Oakland,
who was held up in company with
Roy Voorhees on the San Pablo
Canyon highway. He was arraigned
on only one count of robbery.
Frank J. Creely, of Oakland,
has been appointed by DeCosta
to defend him.

Attorney Ralph H. Wight of
Martinez was appointed by the
court as counsel for Duarte who
faces a charge of murder in ad-
dition to the three counts of rob-
bery. Duarte was given until 9:30
this morning to plead.

If Duarte decides to fight the
charges placed against him, he
will be given a jury trial with
De Costa next Tuesday, whose
attorney requested a speedy trial.

Plans are being discussed to
shift the charges against 16-year
old Arthur Moran to juvenile
court.

Moran was brought to Rich-
mond yesterday by Deputy Sher-
iff J. M. Joseph and in com-
pany with Police Chief Dan Cox
and Captain B. V. Shirley, went
to the marsh that Moran indicat-
ed as the place where the gun
which killed Malley had been
thrown.

After using the city pump and
draining the pool in which the
revolver had found lodgment, a
38 calibre Smith and Wesson
special was recovered.

L. Eckert Gets Term In San Quentin Prison

Leroy Eckert, third member of
the trio that held up the Me-
chanics Bank in Richmond last
November, was sentenced to over
\$25,000 in currency and securities,
was yesterday sentenced to an
undetermined term in San Quen-
tin prison from Oakland for the
theft in Berkeley of the car which
was used by the bandits in the
crime.

Hix Anderson and James E.
McFarlin are now serving sen-
tences of from five years to life
in San Quentin on charges of
robbery.

Mrs. Cushing Is Given Decree

In Judge McKenzie's court at
Martinez yesterday Dorothy Cus-
hing was granted an interlocutory
decree of divorce from George M.
Cushing. Extreme cruelty was the
ground alleged in the complaint.
The plaintiff was awarded the
custody of the child and alimony
of \$50 per month.

W. T. Kearney and Hall Sand-
ers represented the plaintiff and
Hiram E. Jacobs the defendant.

Brown Recovering From Operation

Charles Brown, well known
Richmond plastering contractor, is
reported to be making rapid strides
to recovery following an opera-
tion for appendicitis which he
recently underwent at Cottage hos-
pital. Dr. Hall Vestal was the
attending surgeon.

'GOOD DEED' TURNS TEARS TO HAPPINESS

It is not known whether
Joe Hernandez, of Richmond,
was at any time a member
of the Boy Scouts. But he
may rest assured that yester-
day saw the accomplishment
of one good deed in erasing
the tears of pretty Simona
Reynoso, 18, and bringing
back smiles to her face, when
Hernandez satisfied her that
he was quite probable that
her husband, Joe Reynoso, 25,
would come back to her from
Highland hospital, where he
was taken when stricken ill.

The girl mother remained
inconsolable, and unable to
speak English, believed that
her husband, who had re-
cently arrived in Oakland
from Porterville to seek work
had been taken from her.

Hospital attendants were
struck by the girl's plight.
Nurses tried to assure her
that Jose would soon be well
but she did not understand.
Attendants finally located a
friend in Hernandez. He
calmed Simona's fears, and
she ran laughing and cry-
ing her appreciation to doc-
ters and nurses. Hernandez
has taken the two to his
home until Jose recovers.

Mrs. F. Scholes Answers Call

Funeral services are pending for
Mrs. Rose J. Scholes, wife
of Richmond City Councilman
Frank A. Scholes, who passed
away at Merritt hospital in Oak-
land Sunday afternoon after a
week's illness.

At the meeting of the council
last evening the following resolu-
tion of sympathy was adopted by
the unanimous vote of the mem-
bers, and a copy of it ordered
sent to the bereaved husband:

Whereas Mrs. Rose J. Scholes,
wife of our esteemed fellow
Councilman, Frank A. Scholes,
has by the impartial hand of
death been taken from her
sphere of usefulness in this
community, leaving desolate
the heart and home of her
husband, who loved her with
a great and deep devotion.

Now therefore, be it resolved
by the Council of the City of
Richmond that in this time of
his profound sorrow we extend
to Councilman Scholes our
fullest and most heartfelt
sympathy, deploring the ir-
reparable loss he has suffer-
ed, and the untimely taking
from our midst of one who by
her sterling qualities of heart
and mind endeared herself to
all who had the privilege of
knowing her best.

Mrs. Scholes was 34 years of age
and a native of Wyoming. She
came to Richmond seven years
ago.

The deceased is survived by her
husband two daughters, Alice
Jane and Dorothy May, all of
Richmond; her mother, Mrs. P. J.
Jordan, of North Westminster,
British Columbia, and two broth-
ers, Harry and Francis Jordan, of
North Westminster, and one sis-
ter, Mrs. R. G. Muffard, of Milner,
British Columbia.

Her mother arrived in the East
Bay last Thursday and was with
the husband and children when
death came.

Funeral services are in the
hands of Wilson and Kratzer and
will be held with the arrival of
relatives now en route to Rich-
mond from Canada. Rev. H. I.
Oberholzer, pastor of St. Edmund's
church will officiate.

SUES FOR DIVORCE

Suit for divorce was yesterday
filed by Charles Negri of Rich-
mond, in the superior court at
Martinez from Mrs. Mary B. Negri.
Extreme cruelty was cited in the
complaint as grounds for action.
Attorneys Pierce and Carlson re-
present the plaintiff.

DIVORCE SUIT FILED BY MRS. BERT CURRY

Many Charges Carried
In Divorce Complaint
Filed Yesterday

MARTINEZ, March 14.—Henri-
etta Curry, of 2361 Brooks avenue,
Richmond, today filed suit for
divorce against her husband, Bert
Curry, well known undertaker of
that city, alleging extreme cruelty
as the grounds of action.

The complaint fairly bristles
with allegations, and among them
is one to the effect that the de-
fendant is in the habit of staying
away from home five nights out of
every seven, and coming in be-
tween 4 and 5 o'clock in the
morning.

It is stated in the complaint
that the couple separated on
March 5, 1927.

Plaintiff asks for \$200 per month
alimony and \$200 per month for
the support of the two children.
Custody of the minor children is
also asked for.

STAGE IS SET FOR BIG C. OF C. FEED TONIGHT

The stage is set for tonight's
great membership dinner of the
Richmond Chamber of Commerce
at the New Hotel Carquinez.

More than 200 reservations have
been made and they are still com-
ing in by mail and telephone.

Tonight's affair is given in
honor of President Lester G.
Ready, president of the Key Sys-
tem Transit Co., and principal
speaker of the evening.

Another speaker will be Fred
D. Parr, of the Parr Terminal,
whose splendid work in bringing
the Ford Motor Company to Rich-
mond and in giving impetus to in-
dustrial development in general in
this city, has made him an out-
standing figure in the bay dis-
trict.

Ready will discuss the trans-
(Continued on Page 8)

Oaklander Hits Key System Car

Slight damage to an automobile
was sustained last night when a
car driven by Nick Thomas, 919
Sixty-second avenue, Oakland, col-
lided with a Key System street
car at Macdonald avenue and San
Pablo avenue. Motorman Joe
Snelling was in charge of the
street car. No one was hurt.

Man Struck While Backing From Curb

As Frank Garcia, R. F. D. 239,
Richmond, backed his car from a
parking space on Macdonald ave-
nue between Seventh and Eighth
streets yesterday, he was struck
by a machine driven by E. C.
Farrel, 418 Bissell, but neither was
injured. The cars sustained slight
damage.

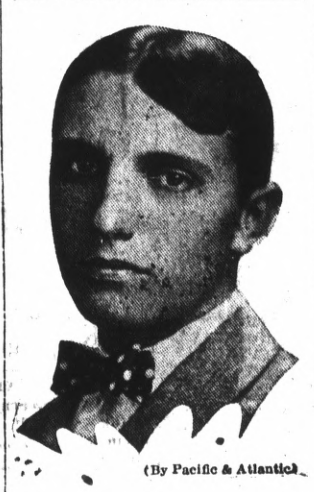
REPORTS THEFT

Mrs. C. M. Hansen, proprietor of
the Hansen apartments, 432 Eighth
street, reported to the police yester-
day the theft of an electric
sweeper which was taken between
Saturday and Monday from a hall-
way in the building.

STILL IMPROVING

Recovering from a serious at-
tack of pneumonia, City Council-
man E. J. Garrard, who has been
confined to his home at 207 Cot-
tage avenue, Richmond, is re-
ported to be in a greatly improved
condition.

Gets Job



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Fate made a hero of Alvin Ott
(above), 17, of Chicago, work-
less for months because of hurts
received in football game. He
plunged into river and saved
Willard L. Bush, millionaire piano
man. He's deluged with job of-
fers now.

\$5000 Bail Set For Looters Of Knitting Mill

Charged with felony and burg-
lary, S. J. Trevenin and W. R.
Jackson, implicated in the Prince-
ton Knitting Mills robbery here
on January 31, were arraigned in
the justice court of Judge John
Roth yesterday, when bail was
set at \$2500 each. They were
remanded to the county jail to
wait trial, no date for which has
not been set as yet. William R.
Heber, vice-president of the mills
filed the charge, accusing the two
men.

Home Laundry Gets Contract For Natatorium

The Home Laundry was awarded
the contract by the council last
evening for the washing of the
bathing suits and towels at the
municipal natatorium.

The Home Laundry bid three
and one half cents for each bath-
ing suit, one and half cents for
each bath towel and one cent
for each hand towel.

The Richmond Steam Laundry
bid three and a half cents for
each bathing suit, but failed to
put in a bid for the washing of
the towels.

Two Escape Death As Train Hits Car

Their machine struck by a Santa
Fe freight train at the Standard
avenue crossing late last night,
Bird Will, of Bangor, Calif., and
Mrs. H. B. Andrews, 31 Washing-
ton avenue, narrowly escaped
death last night.

Although the force of the im-
pact threw Will against the steer-
ing wheel which was crushed, he
declared he was not greatly in-
jured, and at the Emergency hos-
pital his injuries were said to con-
sist of minor cuts and bruises.
Mrs. Andrews was able to walk to
her home, where Willis is a visitor.

Officer Hagerdon was the first
to reach the scene of the accident,
and assisted the couple from the
car. J. S. Pedrotti was conductor
of the train, and E. D. Robey,
engineer.

Gets Permit For Gasoline Pump

A. B. Miller of the Twenty-se-
cond street garage at 325 Twenty-
second street, was last night given
permission by the council to erect
a gasoline pump in front of his
place of business.

FIGHTING IS INTENSE IN NICARAGUAN ZONE OF WAR

Experts Expect Battle Of
Muymuy To Decide
Nicaraguan Fracas

MANAGUA, NICARAGUA, March
14.—The government forces have
taken up positions to cut off the
main rebel forces from any pos-
sibility of falling back to the
Atlantic seaboard, and intense
fighting is continuing at a number
of places according to dispatches
received tonight.

A government plane bombed the
rebel positions and 30 rebels were
killed in a single trench.

The fighting is regarded as the
preliminary to the main battle
with which the government hopes
to scatter the rebels and put an
end to the war.

(By Universal Service)

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March
14.—Intense fighting is reported
in that territory lying between
the towns of Muymuy and Tierra
Azul, according to dispatches re-
ceived here tonight from the war
zone.

This battle, between the federal
troops and the rebel forces, may
be the decisive factor in the Ni-
caraguan affair, close observers
of the situation declared.

The result of the battle is not
known.

A decisive battle between the
warring forces has been expected
for several days. A peace mis-
sion, composed of influential
members of the liberal party, had
prepared to visit Porto Cabezas in
an effort to persuade Dr. Juan
Sacasa, liberal chieftain, to lay
down his arms and end the civil
war before the battle.

Meanwhile, the Diaz government
had massed its forces near Mu-
ymuy, which is the rebel strong-
hold.

Large shipments of arms were
rushed yesterday to the battle-
front. Three million cartridges,
3,000 rifles and 200 machine guns
were included in the shipments.

Experts believed tonight that
the decisive battle is now in pro-
gress, taking into consideration
the preparations made by the
Diaz side, and the fact that the
fighting is reported from the very
center of the rebel district.

Prepare Plans For Sewer Installation

On the recommendation of
Councilman George F. Black last
evening the council ordered the
city engineer to prepare plans and
specifications for the installing of
sewers in the East Richmond
boulevard tract.

GARAGE PERMITS

S. G. Little was last night given
permission by the council to erect
four garages at the intersection of
Santa Fe, Nicholl and Piedmont
avenues. These garages will care
for the needs of the four resi-
dences there.

Husband and Wife



My wife smothers me with kisses
whenever she has seen an attrac-
tive millinery display in a store
window.—Sally.
WHAT DOES YOUR WIFE DO?

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DIPLOMATIC SIDESTEPPING

The French government, in rejecting the Coolidge plan for disarmament bases its action on the fact that there is already a proposal for general disarmament before the League of Nations and that France does not want to do anything along this line which might embarrass the league. The French concern for the international body at Geneva is almost pathetic. It is not entirely convincing however, because it is so recent. During the past few years France has not always been so concerned over the welfare of the league and has taken many international steps which seemed to ignore that august body.

The truth of the matter is that the French government knows as well as every other government knows that the disarmament proposals made before the league have but little if any chance of bearing fruit. When the delegates met at Geneva they were not even able to agree on what should constitute armament, let alone adopt any plan which would tend to cut down military establishments. The meeting ended in disappointment with the belief of the delegates present that little if anything could be accomplished through a general program in which there were so many conflicting national interests.

If anything further is ever done in the day of disarmament it will be by doing a little at a time, as the American plan proposes. The French reply, however, simply goes to prove that European diplomacy has lost none of its hypocrisy or its sidestepping qualities.

However, even if nothing comes of the President's plan it will have served one worthy purpose in showing to the world how much buncombe there is in all the European talk about disarmament. Some of our own fond internationalists have been disposed to blame Uncle Sam for the world's failure to disarm. Now the blame is about to be placed in Europe where it belongs.

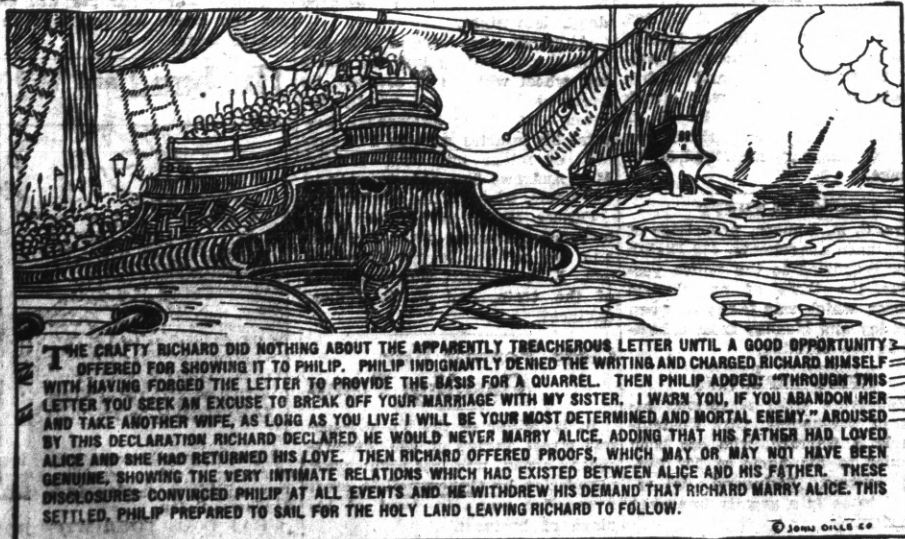
Mlle. Susanne Lenglen, the tennis champ, denies that she is going to get married. She still prefers the racquet to the rolling pin.

Over in Spain they are planning to put armor on the horses used in bull fights. In order to make it a square deal why not put some armor on the bulls, too?

The way those Chinese armies push one another back and forth for heavy gains and losses indicates that they are in need of first class football coaches.

Usually the fellow with an interesting past has the prospect of a very uninteresting future.

Men Who Made the World



THE GAFFY RICHARD DID NOTHING ABOUT THE APPARENTLY TREACHEROUS LETTER UNTIL A GOOD OPPORTUNITY OFFERED FOR SHOWING IT TO PHILIP. PHILIP INDIGNANTLY DENIED THE WRITING AND CHARGED RICHARD HIMSELF WITH HAVING FORGED THE LETTER TO PROVIDE THE BASIS FOR A QUARREL. THEN PHILIP ADDED: "THROUGH THIS LETTER YOU SEEK AN EXCUSE TO BREAK OFF YOUR MARRIAGE WITH MY SISTER. I WARN YOU, IF YOU ABANDON HER AND TAKE ANOTHER WIFE, AS LONG AS YOU LIVE I WILL BE YOUR MOST DETERMINED AND MORTAL ENEMY." AROUSED BY THIS DECLARATION RICHARD DECLARED HE WOULD NEVER MARRY ALICE, ADDING THAT HIS FATHER HAD LOVED ALICE AND SHE HAD RETURNED HIS LOVE. THEN RICHARD OFFERED PROOFS, WHICH MAY OR MAY NOT HAVE BEEN GENUINE, SHOWING THE VERY INTIMATE RELATIONS WHICH HAD EXISTED BETWEEN ALICE AND HIS FATHER. THESE DISCLOSED-CONVINCED PHILIP AT ALL EVENTS AND HE WITHDREW HIS DEMAND THAT RICHARD MARRY ALICE. THIS SETTLED, PHILIP PREPARED TO SAIL FOR THE HOLY LAND LEAVING RICHARD TO FOLLOW.

Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number of letters received, only a few can be answered. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instruction. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper. Name you, city on your return envelope. Don't say "city."

SIR ARBUTHNOT LANE, BART. COMES TO BAT

Readers will recognize Sir Arbuthnot as the man who has converted so many colons into semicolons. At present the noted English doctor is contributing a series of health articles to the London Daily Mail. Formerly only doctors of rather shady character or beyond the pale broke into the newspapers; now our main trouble is discouraging the small fry from smearing up the press. In his newspaper distributions Sir Arbuthnot is cutting quite a dash. I beg to welcome the distinguished baronet to our circle and at the same time to present him as a token of my esteem a few interrogations points.

This bit, from one of Lane's latest, would bring him plenty of grief were he writing for the American press:

"Too often little girls complain that any request to leave the room for a necessary purpose is met by the teacher with a remark that you are a naughty, dirty girl you ought to learn to control your feeling, and you are obliged to acquire a habit which is most detrimental to your health, chiefly to meet the convenience of your teacher."

Wow, what would not the teachers do if one pulled a boner like that in America? Dear me, I just love a controversy, but I hate to think about the reaction their kind words would produce if I printed them.

In view of the week or 10 days leeway I grant folk who are trying to free themselves from physical slavery another selection from this newspaper article of Sir Arbuthnot's. "Advice to Boys and Girls," may be of interest:

"Another much more serious and important fallacy, and one that is universally accepted, is that your bowels should get only once a day. This bad and pernicious habit causes infinite harm and anguish to many, since it leads to the clogging of the intestines with a lot of decomposing, poisonous material which makes you anemic, spotted, dull, inactive, and unable to retain in your memory much of the material which your teachers consider is useful for your education."

This will be good news and in a sense vindication for our eminent colleague in Battle Creek. Neither Sir Arbuthnot Lane, Bart., nor any other authority has produced scientific or convincing evidence to support the view that there is any "poisoning" of the system by the "decomposing material" in the intestine when the bowels act only once a day or once in several days. Such morbid notions may be all right in the old time almanac, in the patent medicine testimonial and in the glorified setweed and petroleum oil blurb, for it is necessary to score the prospect a little in order to make him buy the goods. When a physician lends his name to this frightful propaganda it looks to me more like a kind of insanity.

In the vamping of a plain nut about "auto-intoxication." No good physician or surgeon in America, so far as I know, has ever gone to the extremes which Lane practiced and ably advocated, in cutting out portions of the colon in the craze to prevent or

core conditions alleged to depend upon such "poisoning." We do believe in cutting out a portion of the colon in certain cases of malignant disease.

Neither, I hope, will any health authority outside of Battle Creek share Lane's insanity about the "bad and pernicious habit" of bowel action only once a day. To accept the dictum that in most persons there is a peristaltic mass movement soon after the ingestion of food, and it is well to learn to recognize this urge, and heed it promptly, whether it comes once, twice or four times a day, or only two or three times a week.

If Sir Arbuthnot came to bat in this country with such a swipe at the teachers, I have reason to think he'd strike out.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Let's Not Be Serious

A great many correspondents ask me a question which I refuse to answer on the ground that it would tend to make the correspondent foolishly or unhappy. The question generally goes something like this: "Is (insert the name of any real or imaginary ill, operation, influence, condition)—serious?"

Before I had a major operation or a baby I thought these were serious matters. Now I don't think so. Every individual has his own view. Don't ask me whether your case is serious—if it is no joke you should assume it is serious enough to warrant an interview with your doctor. If it is a laughing matter, why ask me if you wish, and if the day hasn't been ruined I'll be glad to laugh with you about it.

Soda Habit
My mother is 66 years old and has been taking baking soda twice daily for a long time. She feels fine and seems perfectly well. But friends assure her soda causes cancer and ulcers of the stomach. (B. L.)

Answer—Some physician, writing about digestive diseases, recently opined that the habit of taking soda to neutralize or relieve excessive acidity of the stomach may be one of the factors of ulcer in some cases. There is no reason to fear cancer. If your mother will rest off from the soda for a few weeks now and then, I don't believe it will do her any harm.

Mrs. Gamp Could Field This One
I have a little question to ask, is colic in babies a cold in the stomach? Thanking you in advance. I am (Mrs. S. E. W.)

Answer—Now, now, you're trying to get me in trouble again. Nine times out of ten colic in a baby is just a bad guess of some ready reckoner. If the baby has honest to goodness bellyache, cramp, intestinal spasm, cold has nothing to do with it, the warmth applied to the surface is undoubtedly comforting for any of us when we are distressed within, no matter what the trouble may be. If you think the baby has the colic, give the baby a square deal—call the doctor. Pending the doctor's arrival you should devote your thought and energies mainly to fending off Mrs. Gamp and her exasperating colic remedies. I believe young infants suffer infinitely more distress from the colic cures and indigestion cures they are piled with than they do from colic. School Children Need Much Sleep Is 10 hours sufficient sleep for

YOUR BOY AND YOUR GIRL

By ARTHUR DEAN, SC. D.
The Parent Counsellor

Dr. Dean will answer all signed letters pertaining to parents' problems with their boys and girls. Writers' names are never printed. Only questions of general interest are asked in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if we can. Ask and a stamp, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Address Arthur Dean, in care of this paper.

SCRUBBING UP ATHLETICS

Except for basketball this is the closed season for athletics in most sections of the country and an open one for discussing the value of school and college athletics.

I have been reading annual reports of College Presidents. Many of them have their guns out for athletics. Some shoot to kill. Some to maim. Only a few shoot the enemies of desirable athletics.

Who are the real enemies of school and college athletics? They are the alumni; with their absurd demands for winning teams and their violation of the amateur spirit. Ministry of good athletes financial inducement to attend their particular college; the street corner toughs who introduce gamblers and liquor; and, too often, the local business men who seek in one way or another to commercialize the public interest in sports. Ministry of good athletes and knockers do not know ten per cent of the educational arguments in favor of athletics and what is far worse—THEY DON'T CARE. One hundred and thirty representative American college athletes report the following fourteen worthy objectives tabulated in the order of their value:

- 1.—Team play
- 2.—Clean living
- 3.—Discipline and hard work
- 4.—Loyalty
- 5.—Confidence and self-control
- 6.—Respect for the rules of the game
- 7.—Service and self sacrifice (self denial)
- 8.—Stamina and courage
- 9.—Quick thinking under fire
- 10.—Fostering one's self realizing limitations and possibilities, retaining hope and overcoming fear
- 11.—Respect for honored rivals
- 12.—Fostering interest in physical development
- 13.—Fostering a spirit of friendly rivalry among student bodies
- 14.—Learning the lesson of humility

I propose that each local business man, spectator, game gambler and town booster ask himself how sincerely he believes in the truth of points numbered two, six, eleven, twelve, thirteen and fourteen.

The school heads who complain about athletics and school players should clean up the crowd and not the players. REFUSE THE OUTSIDE—THE inside is pretty good as it is.

OUR CONVERSATION CORNER
Is Knowledge Ever a Curse? Can you explain the cause of so many suicides among college students? Wondering.

ANSWER—Too much knowledge of what isn't true and too little faith in what cannot be absolutely proved. Too much so-called education for some young people takes away belief in love and hope. Training the mind without training the character deprives the student who believes in nothing become slaves of every intellectual fad which comes along the road. Knowledge needs FAITH AND A BELIEF in something which gives solace to the human soul.

Solomon Says
Are you one of those extremists who believe in letting a child do as it pleases without restraint?

ANSWER—That question shows me that you are a stranger in this department. No child can grow without some restraint, without overcoming some difficulties, and without some discipline. It was Solomon who said, "He that spareth the rod hateth his son." At least he who spareth all discipline and restraint is his child's worst enemy.

The World has yet to produce a man so great that he is not compelled to bow to circumstances which he can not control. The child which is permitted to develop without this realization is going to face life with a severe handicap.

Living Your Life
I wanted my boy to become a doctor and he ended up by going into business and now he is trying to marry a girl I do not care for. Why will young people go

an 8-year-old boy attending school? (Mrs. A. H.)

Answer—No. From 11 to 12 hours is necessary. (Copyright, John F. Dille Co.)

The Marriage Game

As Played to a Decision Every Day By Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Halton

THE FILTHY LUCK

HIS PLAY: Every day when we go down in the train, I mean the bunch which makes the 8:12, I notice most everybody stares enviously at Joe Coughlin and he puts on the airs of a grand opera star. That's the truth, he really does and the only reason is that Joe has a job driving the currency wagon, a sort of armored auto, from bank to bank gathering the receipts and taking them to the clearing house. I expect that in the course of the day Joe has in his custody \$100,000,000 or even more. And yet he is the poorest dressed man that lives in this town and his wife always looks shabby and his kids need shoes. Yet he is the proudest man on the train and nothing could persuade



him that he is not the most important person. What is there about other people's money that gives them such a kick just to have possession of it? I'm not immune myself. Once in a while when the boss has a very heavy deposit to make he sends me and old Carter with guns straggled around our waists. Instead of the office boy. Our very expressions give us away. Anybody, to look at us would know we had a fortune in that bag. What's the reason for that, I wonder?

HER COUNTER PLAY: There is no reason except that you are a pair of silly kluggers. Money belonging to somebody else is nothing more than dirt in the street. Man's insatiable hunger for money sometimes unhinges his mind. And he's not quite normal until he's rid of the cash.

THE REFEREE: Her day, of course.



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THE STORY SO FAR

Lucinda Blake, a Western widow, reads a newspaper article describing the search for a Fred Monroe, long-lost son of a wealthy California scoundrel. Mrs. Blake thinks she sees an identifying mark on a tramp asking for food, but she finds him stealing and from his threats dies of shock. Fred Blake, her stalwart son, coming home from a rodeo on Silver, his intelligent horse, finds her thus. He vows vengeance and trails the tramp.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued

Choking with rage Fred shook him, roaring in his ear, "The law'll settle with you—but you have a mother, too, yuh rat—and I've sworn vengeance on yore mother—for what yuh did to mine!" With popping eyes "Scar-hand" struggled, while Fred slowly forced him backward to the floor. His eyes were cold with hate. As he bent forward with his burden, the hunted man suddenly struck him full in the stomach with his knee and, grasping Fred, rolled to the floor. A wild leer of triumph on his face, the tramp bounded forward, snatching a revolver from the table drawer, but Fred was on his feet and, clutching, still sick, toward him. He made no move to his own weapons. He would not kill this beast, he thought, but beat him up terribly, and then allow the law to hang him—while he worked a slower and more poisonous fate for the beast's kin. Neither, in their fury, noticed the keen eyes of the man across the alley watching their every move.

Locked in each other's arms, they swayed with terrible ferocity



Three men swung out of town on their horses and headed upland.

up and down the room, smashing furniture, upsetting dishes, and still the watching man did nothing but watch. "Scar-hand" was fighting for his life, as he thought, and was determined to kill his strong assailant. He kicked, he repelled, he snarled, scratching, biting, but always he received the heaviest blows, the wearing, tiring raps, the inexorable smashes of a man fighting to avenge a terrible memory.

Then somehow the tramp was up on his feet, his revolver in his hand. And still the watching man opposite made no sign, but merely looked, and still Fred did not touch his own gun. With a sobbing oath, "Scar-hand" lurched forward and pulled the trigger. Fred ducked a split second before, and leaped—only to stop in horror, staring down at the crumpled, blood-soaked features of the man he had been pummeling a moment before, now slowly stiffening and distorting in death.

How had it happened? Fred did not stop to think. The tramp's revolver was still in his own hand, Fred's guns were untouched in their holsters. . . . The man opposite impassively rose and went away. Fred hurriedly above the room, pulled the shades down, brushed his clothes and put on his hat. Stuffing the letter from Mrs. Monroe into his pocket, he quietly opened the door, slipped out, and paused at the head of the stairway. He could see the Western hat of a man and a man's gait dimly outlined now in the street right outside the hall door downstairs. Then the silhouette moved away. Quietly Fred strode downstairs, opened the door, and was out in the street.

He was about to cross the busy street when the traffic signal went up and the sign read, STOP! Fred winced inwardly, thinking of the dead man—then hardened when his thoughts went back to the huddled little figure of his mother lying in death on the floor of the house he had built for her. . . . He walked quickly away, not noticing that the man who had watched from the alley-window was now reading his paper on the corner, as unconcerned as if he had seen nothing at all.

CHAPTER V

AN ERROR IN K

Sierra was a little town of less than a thousand, with good wide rolling foothills guarding the lower extremities of some of the tallest mountain ranges in the United States. The town itself, a huddle of rough shacks and built-to-order stores, huddled in the shadows of Mt. Whitney. Fifteen thousand feet high, and king of all American peaks, Sierra was not

(To be continued)

Society and Club News

PENNSY CLUB ENJOYS PARTY SATURDAY

A delightful St. Patrick's party was tendered members of the Pennsylvania club at the Richmond clubhouse Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barnhart, during which whist and guessing games, and piano selections were enjoyed by all. Attractive decorations adorned the rooms, and the supper table was charmingly laid out with Narcissus and greens.

Winners of the guessing games were Mrs. W. K. Randall and Mrs. C. L. Bergstrom. Whist honor holders were Mrs. Randall, Mrs. A. J. McNary, with the consolation going to H. C. McDonough. Mrs. Dorothy Barnhart, entertained with piano selections.

The next party of the club will be held April 9, in the Richmond clubhouse, with Mrs. A. J. Moore acting hostess.

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Order Of Amaranthe Holds Reception For Grand Lecturer

Initiation of a large class of candidates, with several hundred visitors from East Bay courts present, featured the reception given by Harmony Court, Order of Amaranthe, for Mrs. Edna E. Curtis, assistant grand lecturer, on her official visit Saturday night. Mrs. Curtis was the recipient of gifts and flowers from admiring members and friends. Mrs. James Stuart offered several pleasing vocal numbers at the affair, which was presided over by Miss Ivy Clara Lee, royal matron, and James T. Nabert, royal patron.

On the banquet committee were Mesdames Florence Morgan, Nellie Milner, Mollie Black, Olive Ledgerwood, Bertha Carey and Mabel Mason.

Election of officers for the ensuing term will be held on the next meeting of the court, March 26. An elaborate party for the retiring officers will be given at that time. The committee arranging for this event consists of Mesdames Jessie Spencer, Amanda Knott, Mildred Hammond, Carrie Steven and Zella Chapin.

Vestals Entertain Relative at Dinner Party In Carquinez

A dinner party at the Hotel Carquinez in honor of Mrs. Tage Madson of Grotberg, Sweden, was given Sunday night by Dr. and Mrs. Hall Vestal. Mrs. Madson being Dr. Vestal's sister. Mrs. Madson was entertained over the weekend at the Vestal home on 341 Twenty-third street. She has been spending the winter in San Francisco, and expects to leave for her home in Sweden on April 4, via the Panama canal.

MISS JENKINS IS HOSTESS AT DINNER PARTY

Miss Pearl Jenkins was hostess to a group of friends at a charmingly appointed birthday party in her home, 225 Twelfth street, Saturday evening. The party was given in honor of Miss Jenkins' birthday and the proximity of St. Patrick's day made it possible for the decorations to be in keeping with the holiday.

Following dinner, served at the hostess' home, the Grand Lake theatre was made the rendezvous for a thoroughly enjoyable theatre party. Guests and hostess returned to Richmond at a late hour.

Those participating in the occasion were Misses Wilma Milnes, Geraldine Ripley, Gladys Lakey, and the hostess, and William Fowell, Lowell Ellis, Austin Ellis, and Roland Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jenkins assisted in arrangements for the affair.

PERES P. T. A. WILL MEET TODAY

The Peres P. T. A. will hold its regular monthly business meeting Tuesday, March 15, in the teachers' room of the new building. Mrs. Narvez will preside.

After the business meeting there will be a kitchen shower for the new kitchen. Members are asked to bring some article. There will be refreshments and a social time.

Yulupa Campfire Girls Make Tour Of U. C. Campus

A pleasing and instructive afternoon on the University of California campus was spent Saturday by members of the Yulupa Campfire girls, with Miss Anna Olson, guardian, acting as escort. The numerous displays in the campus buildings proved a great attraction to the girls, who were also fortunate in witnessing the opening of the new Hearst swimming pool.

After an enjoyable picnic luncheon the girls attended a matinee.

Improvement Club Appoints Committee To Select Officers

The women's West Side Improvement club appointed a nominating committee to select officers for the year's work at their session yesterday afternoon at the home of Mary Wilson, corner Richmond and Washington avenues. On the committee are Mrs. Grover, Mrs. Stidham and Mrs. Hess.

A committee consisting of Mrs. Gibbons and Mrs. Stidham was also appointed to look into the matter of the club's setting aside a loan fund to assist students to complete their school work.

Mrs. J. C. Eaton and Miss Catherine McCracken acted as hostesses.

First Wedding Cake To Be Baked In The House Of Commons

(By Universal Service)
LONDON, March 14.—The chief cook of the House of Commons restaurant has a new job for tomorrow when he bakes a huge double-tiered wedding cake. The occasion is the marriage of C. E. R. Brocklebank, member of parliament for East Nottingham, and Miss Grace Wise, the niece of Sir Frederic Wise, member of parliament for Proliford.

The wedding will take place in the crypt chapel of the House of Commons tomorrow morning. The guests will be served luncheon. The wedding cake is said to be the first ever baked in the House of Commons kitchen.

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Wellesley's Queen



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Pretty Miss Sylvia Blair (above) of Amherst, Mass., has a right to smile, for she's just been chosen as Free Day Mistress at Wellesley college, Mass. Beauty, popularity and long tresses are requisites for this senior honor.

Popular Society Girl Leaves For Wedding In India

Honor guest at a farewell luncheon on San Francisco Saturday, Miss Heredia Bradbury, of 418 Bissell avenue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bradbury, and one of the most popular members of the younger set, was bid bon voyage on her trip to Singapore, India, where she will become the bride of Albert Russell Bartlett, of that city.

A large party of friends from Richmond, Oakland, Berkeley, and San Francisco accompanied the bride-elect on board the S. S. President Polk, where she was made the recipient of many charming gifts and beautiful flowers.

The wedding will be solemnized immediately upon the arrival of Miss Bradbury in Singapore. April 19 has been set as the date for the ceremony, since the journey will occupy the better part of a month.

The couple intend to visit all the principal cities of the Orient and Europe, returning at the end of Bartlett's trip to New York and on to Richmond.

Miss Bradbury met her fiancé last May while visiting in Paris with her sister, Miss Patricia Bradbury. Bartlett was en route to his home in Boston, Massachusetts, from the Orient.

Bartlett is a member of the firm of Mueller, Phipps and Company, importers and exporters, of New York City.

(By Universal Service)

LONDON, March 14.—Lady Nancy Astor created an uproar of laughter in the House of Commons tonight, when, in a debate over naval estimates, she commented that if England and the United States would only set the pace in disarmament they need have no fear of France and Italy, for the record of those two countries on the sea was not enough to alarm anybody.

Lady Nancy also commented on the number of men in the navy who are suffering from tuberculosis and asked the government to pay particular attention to this subject.

Sheriff Finn Of S. F. Is Honored

SACRAMENTO, March 14.—Sheriff Thomas Finn, of San Francisco, was today elected president of the California Sheriff's association, succeeding former sheriff Frank Barnett of Alameda county.

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MISS KOSES IS FETED AT PARTY

On the occasion of her seventeenth birthday, Miss Ethel Koses was pleasantly surprised at a party given her at the home of Miss Ardis Richmond, 1903 Roosevelt avenue, Friday night.

The birthday group attended the De Molay show earlier in the evening, and then repaired to the Richmond home for a social time.

Those present were: Misses Muriel Moran, Teru Moore, Ethel Koses, Dorothy Barbikas, Leota Sloan, Geraldine Cleek, Kathryn Rahrehnoltz, Ardis Richmond, Mesdames Emory Richmond, Lewis Barbikas, Eston Davis, Lewis Albert, Robert Burns, Paul Basham, Harry Koses and Russell King.

Lodge Confers Second Degree; Plans Whist Party

Elipse lodge, No. 403, I. O. O. F., meeting in regular session last night conferred the second degree on a class of candidates with S. P. Skow, noble grand, officiating.

On Monday, April 4, Contra Costa Encampment will come to the local lodge for the purpose of conferring the third degree.

Plans were progressing rapidly. It was reported last night, on the whist party to be held on March 19, and a large crowd is expected. The prizes for the affair are on display in the local window of the Contra Costa Finance company. Wallace Snelgrove is acting chairman for the prize night.

A committee to co-operate with the Golden Gate lodge of Vallejo and other lodges in conferring the first degree on a class of candidates from the Rodeo lodge was appointed last night and is composed of S. P. Skow, noble grand, George Stanley and H. W. Houseman.

All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are urged to be present at the temple tonight at 7:15 for the purpose of attending in a body the Balthin services, it being Odd Fellows' night. Dr. Balthin's topic for the evening will be "David and Jonathan."

Waterless Cooker Is Explained to Lincoln P. T. A.

Benefits of the waterless cooker was told members of the Lincoln Parent-Teacher association at a dinner in the Richmond clubhouse last night by Mr. J. Fellows, who outlined and demonstrated the use of the cooker. The dinner was well attended by the members, who were impressed at the value of the new method of cooking, both in saving the mineral salts of the food and in eliminating bother and mess.

\$40,000,000 Heiress Is Named In Divorce

(By Universal Service)
SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Suit for divorce was filed today by Franklin Bull, prominent local attorney, from Mrs. Marie W. Bull, the former Marie Cavalline, who was declared last fall to be one of the heirs of the \$40,000,000 Jennings estate in England. In his suit Bull charges that his wife remained away from home for weeks and months at a time and was told it was "none of his business where she had been."

Friends Fete Mr. And Mrs. Axelson In Housewarming

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Axelson Saturday evening, when a large party of friends dropped in on them at their new home in Mira Vista for the purpose of giving them a memorable housewarming. The guests presented the couple with a handsome mirror, with Mr. Thomas Gray making the presentation speech. A group of delightful dramatic readings was offered by Mrs. Virginia Bryant. Dancing to radio music was enjoyed by the guests as were whist games. The Axelsons served a sumptuous supper to the impromptu guests.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. K. Y. King, Miss Juanita Fisher, Miss Devota Fisher, Mr. Charles Mickelson, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mainwaring, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McCann, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Meyers, all of Berkeley; Mrs. M. Blankenship, Mrs. Sarah Greathouse, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Dayna Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burns, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. King, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bernier, Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Adams, Mr. John Logan, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gardeña, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tarr, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pfeil, Miss Elizabeth Pfeil, Mr. Edward Pfeil, Miss Hattie Ferraci, Mr. James McCann, Mr. and Mrs. Al Stronberg, Mr. and Mrs. Margaret M. William Matson, Mr. Harry Stronberg, Mr. and Mrs. Jeneri Matson, Sr., Mr. Dennis Burns, all of Richmond.

Door prizes and vaudeville acts are scheduled to be given. Members of the order living in Richmond are urged to attend. A charge of fifty cents per couple will be made.

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BOOZE SCANDAL IS BARED IN MANITOBA

(By Universal Service)

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, March 14.

The greatest liquor scandal that has marked Manitoba politics for years has been bared here in the frustration of a plot to steal from the Legislature Buildings, the books which record the names of those who signed for the sale of beer by the glass.

The books—nineteen of them—were accidentally found hidden behind some other books in the parliamentary library and the circumstances were so suspicious that a checkup of the names was made.

This showed that thousands of names had been "faked" names of dead men and even of dogs were included in many instances.

As a result J. Green, a plasterer who played a large part on the "wet" side of the recent plebiscite which permitted beer sale and George Avery were placed under arrest.

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Heiress

Lois Wilson who has role of a New York heiress in "NEW YORK," now being screened at the California Theatre.



Lois Wilson in "New York" A Paramount Picture

"NEW YORK" IS AT CALIFORNIA

If you've ever thought of taking a trip to New York—if you've ever been there and would like to go again—if you've ever wondered whether all you read in the papers about America's first city could be true, go to the California theatre and see Luther Reed's current Paramount production, "New York."

"New York" is the kind of film that even hard boiled critics like to refer to as "gorgeous melodrama, plus." The "plus" is inserted for those remarkable views of Gotham against which the story takes place.

A splendid cast headed by Ricardo Cortez, Lois Wilson, Estelle Taylor (Mrs. Jack Dempsey), William Powell and Norman Trevor, enacts the thrilling story. It's one of gangsters and get-rich-quick, of the Bowery and Park avenue, of a jazz band drummer and a society miss, and of despair and happiness. It's the story of a man who climbs out of the squalid environment where birth has placed him, raises himself to a pinnacle from which the pleasure-loving world throws praise, gives him the girl of his heart, and then—Fate, that well known specter of the screen—steps in and deals a surprising blow.

Coming from the smooth flowing pens of Barbara Chambers and Becky Gardiner, "New York" is as exciting and hectic a tale as the town itself. Looking at Paramount's latest from a number of angles (by the way, there are lots of queer camera angles in the film) we should place it on the recommended list.

Other features on the same program include the third chapter of "The House Without a Key"; a Fox "Variety"; Topics of the Day and Larry Canelo at the organ.

GUESTS AT CARQUINEZ

Guests registered at the Carquinez last night were: Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wilcox, Los Gatos; Mr. and Mrs. E. Berthold, Sacramento; W. M. Holliday, San Bruno; Herbert and Harold Poore, Chico; A. Hawley, San Francisco; H. F. Montgomery, Stockton; Mrs. A. B. Griehnan, Los Angeles; F. R. Hayeck, San Francisco; D. Hospitalier, Richmond; E. W. Morgan, Los Angeles; G. A. Duncan, San Francisco; C. E. Parker, Richmond; W. C. Kennedy, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Smiley, Stockton; J. J. Shea, San Francisco.

APPLICATION REFERRED TO LICENSE COMMITTEE

At the meeting of the council last night the application of S. B. Moore for a permit to conduct a soft drink establishment and pool room at 126 Washington avenue was referred to the license committee for one week.

WALLY AND HIS PALS

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FORCED TO FREE THESE TWO SUSPICIOUS LOOKING CHARACTERS, FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE, "PADDY" IS STILL IN THE DARK AS TO JUST WHO THEY ARE AND WHAT THEY WANT.

MEANWHILE, WALLY IS STILL FEARFUL OF THE "MYSTERIOUS PERSONS AGAINST WHOM HE HAS BEEN WARNED."

DORIS KENYON IN "MISMATES" IS AT RICHMOND

A film drama that will tug at the heartstrings and leave an indelible impression on the minds of those who see it is "Mismates," the First National photoplay which opened yesterday at the Richmond theatre.

We see Doris Kenyon at her screen best in this picture. Co-featured with Miss Kenyon in "Mismates" is Warner Baxter, who as a young and struggling lawyer comes to her aid in her time of trouble.

Philo McCullough, whom we have often seen in "heavy" parts, has never before had such a great part as in this picture. He is the "heavy" and plays the husband of Miss Kenyon. He makes you positively hate the ground he walks on as he goes through the picture, and as that is his job he is to be highly commended. McCullough lends much to the success of this picture. Mae Allison with all her loveliness is another contributing factor to the enjoyment of the picture, as is Charlie Murray, that funny man of First National.

Briefly, the story of "Mismates" is that of a manicurist who marries the son of a wealthy family. The husband's mother will not recognize the manicurist. On their fourth wedding anniversary the husband deserts his wife and child. The wife is thrown into prison shortly after, although innocent, and her husband is instrumental in keeping her there. She receives word that her little son is dying, escapes from jail—and to learn the rest now would spoil the story.

Other film features include "Jolly Tars," a Lloyd Hamilton comedy; "Topics," and "Aesop's Fables."

Will Hold Last Rites Here Today For Anna Flohs

Mrs. Mary Anna Flohs, pioneer resident of San Pablo, who passed away at the family home Saturday morning, will be laid to rest this afternoon in Sunset View cemetery. For thirty-two years Mrs. Flohs has lived in San Pablo. She was 63 years of age, at the time of her death, and is survived by her husband and seven children.

Woman Robbed Of \$90 By Duo

On her way to deposit \$90 in the bank yesterday, Mrs. Loretta Alvarez, proprietor of a restaurant at 210 Macdonald avenue, declares she was met by two men, one of whom flourished before her a philanthropic pamphlet, which she took in her hands, while the other reached in her sweater pocket and removed her purse. Mrs. Alvarez told police she knew the name of one of the men to be Manuel Gonzales, and the other one Antonio.

BATTERY MAN CONTEMPLATES \$7000 BUILDING

A super-service station will be erected by S. S. Ripley, well known Richmond battery service man, on the south side of Macdonald avenue between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, at a cost of \$7,000, according to a permit issued yesterday by City Building Inspector A. J. Hurley. C. W. Washabaugh is named as contractor.

One section of the station will be two stores in height. Ripley plans to maintain his offices on the upper floor of the structure.

Pals Keep Up Life Flame



With 76 comrades working in relays more than three days and nights, Alfred Frick (above) of Chicago has been kept alive by artificial respiration. His diaphragm is paralyzed and without artificial manipulation, breath and life would stop. There is hope he'll recover.

RADIO NEWS

- KLX—508 Meters Oakland
12:30 to 1:30 p. m.—Noon concert.
2 to 3 p. m.—Women's matinee.
- KGO—561 Meters General Electric, Oakland
11:30 to 1 p. m.—Concert.
- KYA—400 Meters San Francisco
9:30 a. m.—Shopping service.
10:30 to 10:45 a. m.—Health talk.
12:30 to 2 p. m.—Concert orchestra.
- KFRC—268 Meters San Francisco
7 to 8 a. m.—Breakfast concert.
10 a. m.—Concert.
11 a. m.—"Doings of Dorothy."
11:20 a. m.—Studio program.
12 to 2 p. m.—Concert orchestra.
4 to 5:30 p. m.—Concert orchestra.
- KGW—491 Meters Morning Oregonian, Portland
9:45 a. m.—Health exercises.
10 to 11:30 a. m.—The Town Crier.
- KTAB—302.5 Meters Associated Broadcasters Oakland
8:45 a. m.—Prayer service.
9:15 a. m.—Shopping.
9:45 to 10 a. m.—Health talk.
- KPO—428 Meters Hale Bros.—Chronicle, S. F.
6:45 to 7:45 a. m.—Health exercises.
10:30 a. m.—Ye Towne Crier.
10:45 a. m.—Cooking hints.
12 m.—Time signal, weather, Scripture reading.
1 to 2 p. m.—Concert orchestra.
2:30 p. m.—Baseball.
4:30 to 5:30 p. m.—Concert orchestra.

Motorists Escape Serious Injuries In Week-End Accidents

Four automobiles were wrecked but occupants escaped with slight injuries in motor accidents over the week-end.

William Darnell, 535 Forty-second street, Richmond, received contusions of the back and body when the machine in which he was riding collided with a car driven by A. B. McAllister, 140 Monticello avenue, Piedmont. Miss Hazel Etchison, who was riding with him at the time, escaped without injury.

Philo Scandri, 1618 Thirty-sixth avenue, Oakland, and Merle McDonald, 5357 Locksley avenue, Oakland, crashed at Forty-seventh street and Cutting boulevard. Occupants escaped injury but the machines were demolished.

Miner Leaves For New York

Beginning a three months' visit in the eastern part of the country, Grant L. Miner, Sr., of the local building firm which bears his name, left aboard the S. S. Finland for New York City. He will spend two months in Wisconsin after visiting relatives in New York.

Cal Approves Of Legion Conclave For Over There

(By Universal Service)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—"You took care of yourselves when you went over before, and I am sure you will do it again," was the tribute which President Coolidge today declared to a prominent delegation of Legionnaires who acquainted him with the plans for the American Legion convention to be held in Paris next September.

Secretary of War Davis and General John J. Pershing headed the Legionnaires. Included in the delegation were:

National Commander Howard P. Savage, Past National Commanders Hanford Macnider, Milton J. Foreman and James A. Drain, Major-General Charles P. Summerall, chief of the army staff; Admiral Hugh Rodman, Major-General John A. LeJeune, commandant of the marine corps; John J. Wicker, Jr., of the Legion's France travel committee, and John Thomas Taylor of its national legislative committee.

President Coolidge was told that 30,000 Legionnaires will make the trip.

"I am glad that you are going," the President said. "Your visit is certain to increase the good will between the two republics."

President Coolidge said that the services of the army, navy and shipping board will be available to make their journey comfortable.

Baptist Ladies Aid Society To Meet Today

The Point Richmond Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Paul Dunlay, 37 Terrace avenue, in regular business session. Members are asked to be present.

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Caseys Are Told Of Forest Service At Meeting Here

A highly entertaining as well as an educational program was given members of Berkeley council, Knights of Columbus, at their regular meeting in Memorial hall last night by Wallace I. Hutchinson of the United States forest service.

Hutchinson told members of the government's work in patrolling the 18 national forests of the state, comprising more than 19,000,000 acres, and representing resources of \$300,000,000. The resources are estimated on the timber, water and forage values of the national forests. Eighty-five per cent of the water resources of the country lie in the national forests, Hutchinson pointed out. These forests also harbor 75 per cent of the nation's game, members were told.

More than two and a half million people go to these forests every year for recreational purposes, Hutchinson pointed out, and added that the mountains are becoming more popular every year for city folk.

U. S. To Investigate P. I. Appropriations

WASHINGTON, March 14.—A semi-official investigation of America's expenses in conducting the Philippine islands will be made this summer by Rep. W. R. Wood of Indiana, he announced to President Coolidge today.

Wood will go to the islands as the representative of the House appropriations committee, of which he is a member. The government's expenditures on its army and navy forces, fortifications, naval bases and administration under General Wood will be the subject of his study. It will be made principally to determine if any curtailment can be made.

Most funny bones are in the elbow but some go to the head.

Notice To Public

Notice is hereby given that on and after this date, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Alice Evelyn Dennis, she having left my bed and board.

Richmond, Calif., March 14, 1927.
H. W. DENNIS.

Wellesley Girls Aid In Disastrous Blaze



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

When fire at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., reduced part of Stone Hall dormitory to these smoking ruins, girl students succeeded in saving scientific equipment in the building valued at \$250,000.

Dry Chief Prepares To Dry Up Big Sources Of Illicit Liquor Supply; 4000 Persons Employed

By M. L. RAMSAY
(By Universal Service)

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Heated by the triumph of his two-year fight for the reorganization bill, General Lincoln C. Andrews shortly will launch a new campaign to dam up the big sources of illicit liquor supply.

By the passage of this bill through congress and its signing by President Coolidge, the dry chief won a free hand in the fight to make effective his ambitious enforcement program.

Almost immediately he set out on a quiet inspection trip expected to extend through several of the prohibition districts. Andrews is seeking to ferret out the weak spots in his organization, it is understood, preparatory to the most concerted attack he has yet made on large-scale violations.

Changes of field personnel which may result will be supplemented by the appointment of a new commissioner of prohibition. This official will head, under Andrews' direction, a bureau of prohibition made entirely independent of the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

This new set-up of the dry machine is counted upon by Andrews greatly to strengthen the organization. Andrews is expected to have the controlling voice in naming the new commissioner, who will be appointed under the law by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon.

Behind him Andrews will have a prohibition army of nearly 4,000 persons, the largest assembled since the Volstead Act became law.

Andrews has announced that he will bend every effort to enlist the power of state and local governments in suppressing violations.

This concurrent enforcement plan will be emphasized anew in the coming onslaught against moonshining which will be the central activity in the new campaign.

So much of the moonshine traffic is localized, according to Andrews, that adequate operations against it are impossible without the co-operation of state and local officers.

Virtually every state will be a battleground in the war against moonshining, for prohibition officials have found the illicit distilling once restricted to the southern mountains now entrenched in almost every city and rural district.

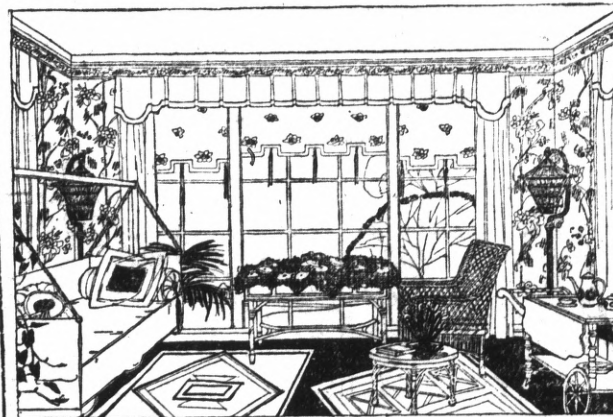
"Shine" distillers have so perfected their technique that in some areas aged corn whiskey has appeared on the market. In others the green product is being sold in kegs and barrels for aging in the purchaser's own cellar.

With the disruption of "rum row," a curb on smuggling elsewhere, and reputed progress against alcohol diversions, Andrews regards the moonshining as his next big objective.

His campaign against it, with the reorganization of his forces made possible by the new legislation, appears certain to keep the dry chief on the job until the next congress meets in December. A new opportunity will await him then to push through other enforcement legislation.

HARBOR LODGE MEETS IN WEEKLY SESSION

Harbor lodge of Masons met in weekly session last night, the first degree being conferred, with I. C. Johnson presiding. No banquet was served later.



By A. Louise Fillebrown

NEXT to the breakfast room and kitchen the sunroom needs washable and fadeless materials to be practical. The streaming sunlight that enters all day will fade anything that cannot resist it, the constant washing that is necessary will wear out anything that is not made to wash easily. The many windows allow much more light to enter here than any other room in the house, and the constant use that is given this cheery place by all the family wears out all but the most serviceable materials.

For all these reasons it is wise therefore to buy a good quality of wallpaper as your chief element of decoration and after it is hung to varnish it. The colors in a good paper are able to withstand the sun

and the varnished surface may be washed and washed without wearing down or peeling off. The varnish besides making the paper waterproof makes it adhere much more firmly to the walls, and so withstand both heat and dampness.

The sunroom illustrated is full of color and cheer—the paper is gay orange, green and cream with bits of black. The black floor is linoleum with orange and green rugs of woven grass spread upon it. The wicker furniture is painted green and the black and vermilion birdcages with their brilliant feathered occupants add the last touch of summery brightness and lovely color. It is a pleasant place to spend one time, and added to that is the satisfaction that it will not soon have to be torn up and refurnished.

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TRADE TOUR IS PLANNED BY MERCHANTS

A caravan of local merchants and business men will advertise Richmond as the trade center of western Contra Costa county Thursday, April 7, when a tour will be made of the county as a part of the trade extension week program fostered by the better business committee of the Richmond Merchants' association. Marie Macdonald Jensen, secretary, announced yesterday.

The machines in the caravan will start from Hotel Carquinez at 8:45 on the morning of the tour, and will proceed along the waterfront highway as far as Martinez, thence to Concord, Walnut Creek and Lafayette.

Members of the party will distribute trade literature calling attention to the extension week objectives along the route of travel.

AUTO EXPENSE IN INCOME TAX IS EXPLAINED

Thousands of motorists filing their federal income tax returns at the present time find themselves confronted with puzzling questions in connection with the relation of automobile expense to allowable deductions. The California State Automobile association, to clear up some of the more common questions faced by the individual automobile owner in making an income tax return, submitted a list of written questions to John P. McLaughlin, collector of internal revenue for the first district of California. These questions and his answers follow:

Question: Can the federal excise tax paid by the manufacturer on cars produced and sold during the past year be deducted from income by an individual taxpayer who has purchased a new automobile during the past year?

Answer: The war tax on automobiles sold by the manufacturers is a tax imposed upon sales by the manufacturer and is not an allowable deduction in computing net income of a purchaser, even though such taxes are billed to the purchaser as separate items.

Question: Are motor vehicle registration fees and weight taxes paid the state of California deductible from income?

Answer: Yes, they are deductible. State and local taxes (except taxes assessed against local benefits of a kind tending to increase the value of the property assessed) are deductible from gross income.

Question: Can gasoline taxes paid on gasoline used to operate the taxpayers' motor vehicle be deducted from income?

Answer: The gasoline tax is imposed on the distributor and is deductible by the distributor and is not deductible by the consumer. If it is used by the consumer for business purposes the full cost of gasoline and the tax is a business expense and deductible as such.

Question: Can county personal property taxes paid on a motor vehicle be deducted from income?

Answer: Personal property taxes are levied by the county and as such are deductible. This applies to personal property taxes on automobiles.

Question: From the standpoint of the business of professional man who uses his automobile either wholly or partially for business purposes, what deductions can be made for expense of operation and maintenance, for depreciation, for insurance, etc? What kind of a showing is necessary when such deductions are claimed by the taxpayer?

Answer: Accounts should be kept and submitted showing expense of operation, maintenance, insurance, etc. Where the automobile is used partially in business, the proportionate part that the machine is used for business should be substantiated. The business portion is then deductible as an expense. Depreciation can be taken as in Schedule F, Form 1040.

Record-Herald want ads bring quick results—Try one.

El Cerrito Gets Sanction Of Commission for Highway Patrol on San Pablo Avenue

Policing of San Pablo avenue for motor vehicle law violators was started Monday by the city of El Cerrito when they received a letter from the State Highway Commission giving the city jurisdiction over San Pablo avenue from Manila avenue north to the Santa Fe tracks.

Chairman Charles Zimmerman stated that the commission had agreed to give the city police jurisdiction over the rest of the highway from Manila avenue south to the county line before the improvement of that portion and an order to that effect was expected this week.

That the city will probably make San Pablo avenue a boulevard stop was intimated when the trustees instructed Marshal Forrest Wright to get estimates on the different kinds of boulevard stop signals.

Panama Army Officer Discovers Gold Cache In Tropical Bat Cave

By LIEUT. GEO. WILLIAMS, R. N.
(By Universal Service)

PANAMA CITY, March 14.—News that I have discovered gold in the ruins of Panama City has spread like wild fire among the natives. From every corner of the isthmus, Panamanians are flocking to the city to point out likely places for other treasures and urging me to take my gold-finding instrument and follow them.

A short time ago a native led me to distant tropical isle. We waded, crawled, jagged cliffs, fought billowing waves and swam against rising currents until we reached the jungle. With his machete, his long, keen knife, the Panamanian cut a path through the brush and led me to an opening on the side of a hill, "La Caverna," he exclaimed.

With the aid of flashlights we crawled through the entrance. Immediately the air became alive. Around our heads hundreds of wings came beating. An army of bats had risen up against us.

We ducked our heads, crawled deeper into the cave. I turned my flashlight here and there until suddenly I noted two spots of yellow green. I looked more closely and there arose before me the head of an immense snake, with rearing body as thick as a man's wrist. The snake jumped, fortunately in the other direction and disappeared. Deeper and deeper into the cave we ventured. The air was becoming hot and stuffy and the vile odor of the bats made further

travel uncomfortable. Suddenly my instrument began to swing, the infallible sign that there was gold in the cave becoming evident.

We rushed out and got a pick and shovel and began our digging. Soaked with perspiration, we dug several hours in our cramped quarters until I discovered a body and near it a small gold object.

The emblem on the object was a "rana," the Indian god of rain. We had stumbled onto an old Indian cemetery. Where there is one such invaluable treasure, more than 500 years old, there must be others. We were too exhausted to continue but we expect to go back for more later.

Situation Between United States And Mexico Peaceful

(By Universal Service)

MEXICO CITY, March 14.—The present situation between Mexico and the United States does not contain elements which make imminent a rupture in the relations between the two governments.

This summary of conditions today as seen in Mexico City was obtained on the highest authority in connection with reports emanating from Washington describing a break as being seriously threatened.

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And wisely and well it is usually spent too—far better than the average man could spend it himself. For women are better purchasing agents than men. They compare prices, weigh values and shop carefully.

They read advertisements regularly. Every day you'll find the wise little home manager searching the advertising columns for news that will add to the comfort, convenience and improvement of her home. You will find the same clever purchasing agent studying the advertisements to find where and when to buy, and what and how to buy most economically. The advertisements, too, tell this responsive art director how she can make her home more beautiful, more individual—the kind of home that a man appreciates but never knows how it is done!

Advertisements are the wise counsellors in the spending of money that the clever housewife heeds daily.

The business of running a home is made easier by reading the advertisements



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DEMPSEY GIVES UP HOPE FOR RING RETURN

SAN DIEGO, March 14.—Because of "some trouble with his spine," Jack Dempsey has given up all hopes of returning to the prize ring in the immediate future, the former heavyweight champ admitted here tonight.

He may have to undergo a serious operation to correct the ailment, he added.

Dempsey, accompanied by his wife, Estelle Taylor, is here to see the \$100,000 Cofferthorpe handicap at the Pajaro race track tomorrow. "I haven't been feeling myself for some time," the ex-champion said. "Last Thursday, after my doctors had examined me thoroughly in every way, they advised me to have an operation for some trouble with my spine. I don't know exactly what the ailment is myself—the medics used scientific terms."

"But they told me that I would never be in shape to enter the ring again if I didn't have the operation, so I guess it must be something serious."

"Anyway, that ends my hope for an early return to the ring for some time at least, because I'm not going to have any operations until I absolutely have to."

"What I'm going to do a few days after returning to Los Angeles is establish a camp somewhere in the mountains and go into light training. But the training will not be to regain my lost heavyweight crown. It will be to get back my health."

"I don't mean that I'm actually sick, you understand, but I just don't feel as well as I did a year or so ago."

"I think I can get back into shape maybe without the operation and if I do I'll make up my mind then about going back into the ring."

It is understood that Estelle Taylor, too, is opposed to an operation at this time when there is apparently no need for it. Such an operation, it is admitted, would naturally be a serious one.

Dempsey does not know whether the spinal condition existed at the time he fought Tunney but is inclined to think it did.

He was also at a loss to describe the exact nature of his malady, except that "it made him feel low at times" and sometimes there are pains more or less in his back, he says.

The Dempsey party will return to Los Angeles Monday.

OAKS SQUAD GETS TRIMMED
With just one more week's practice at Calistoga before they come to Oakland, the Oaks' surplus squad is being subjected to a trimming by Manager Ivan Howard.

Yesterday the Oaks' manager released Catcher Ham Baker, Outfielders Percy Marlow, Bill Coates and Infielders "Rusty" Firebaugh and Doty Bush.

Sportographs

St. Mary's In The Lead
With two wins and no losses to their credit, St. Mary's college leads the California Intercollegiate baseball conference as it goes into its third week of play. Stanford is in second place with two victories and a defeat, and California is third team with a .500 average.

CALIFORNIA BOXERS WIN
The boxing squad of the University of California emerged victors in the intercollegiate boxing matches played at Palo Alto Friday night. The U. C. boys showed good form winning their bouts by good margins.

WIDWINTER BASEBALL
A bid for the northern California midwinter baseball title, will be made today by the undefeated Zing El Primos of Alameda, when they clash with the Yellow Cab squad at Lincoln park. The Alameda have been winners of two championships.

MOSTIL IS OUT OF DANGER
Johnny Mostil, centerfielder for the White Sox, who attempted suicide several days ago in a hotel room, is improving rapidly, and unless infection starts in his wounds will be discharged from the hospital in about three weeks, according to Dr. E. J. Slicer.

CHICAGO, March 14.—Commissioner Landis ruled today that baseball scandals once closed must stay that way. He refused the application of Buck Weaver, former Chicago third baseman, for reinstatement.

HARRIS NEEDS PITCHERS
WASHINGTON, March 14.—The building up of a pitching department is the chief worry of Bucky Harris, manager of the Senators, at present. Harris released three pitchers yesterday. With Walter Johnson on the injured list, Harris is kept doubly busy.

HELEN WILLS TO PLAY
A campaign to regain the net title this year will be begun by Helen Wills, former national women's singles champion, when she competes in the Huntington Invitational tournament starting Friday at Los Angeles. Helen Jacobs, considered a future tennis star, will also make the trip.

MEUSEL ARRIVES IN FLORIDA
NEW YORK, March 14.—Denying that he has been a holdout, Bob Meusel, who has been worrying officials of the Yankee ball club, arrived today at the Florida camp of the club in company with Herb Pennock. Meusel has been in California.

WINS SIX-DAY BICYCLE RACE
NEW YORK, March 14.—Regarded as the greatest of all bike riders, Reggie McNamara won his twelfth six-day race when he finished first with Franco Georgetti in the forty-second race which closed here last night.

PLENTY BASKETBALL YET
KANSAS CITY, March 14.—With eight quintets already eliminated, 46 teams now remain in the race for the National A. A. U. basketball championship.

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FIGHT CARD FOR FRIDAY ANNOUNCED

Another classy card of bouts is to be shown Friday night at the El Cerrito Athletic club. Thirty rounds of boxing is being billed and will be topped by a ten round main event and five fast four round scuffles. In the feature Tim Vahney who lost a close questionable decision here his last start will face Gilbert Attell a nephew of the famous featherweight champion Abe Attell of the days gone by. Gilbert has already beaten Tim in a great fight at Vallejo a few months back and so good was that fight the Fans here will get a treat. Gilbert is only twenty one years of age and outwardly looks as if he will outshine his famous Uncle one of these days. He has lost but three decisions in his whole career thus far and has beaten such boys as Eddie Dempsey, Bobby Burns and at Ukiah last week stopped Pete Meyer in six rounds.

That gives one an idea just how good Attell really is. One other Attell is fighting called Jack but Fans should not confuse Gilbert with the other boxer. Five rattling four round bouts are also on tap and will feature some real slugfests. Cliff Hottegger meets Jack Romero while Johnny Woods who stopped Jack Kirk here his last start takes on Gene La Mont. Niel McNeil meets Paul Barrish. Johnny Vierra takes on the fighting Matador from Mexico City and Billy Liner and Demetrio Tadeo open the show.

R. U. H. S. Loses Baseball Game To Alameda Hi
Although outitting their opponents, the R. U. H. S. baseball nine couldn't get misplays out of their system, and so lost to Alameda high, 9-3, Saturday.

Mede was the outstanding star of the game for the local team, striking out eight batters, and knocking out three clean hits. He went the whole route of the game. Walter Gordon also stood out for R. U. H. S. making five putouts on what looked to be sure hits. Five runs were made by Alameda on errors by Phillips at third base, and Johnson, second base, was responsible for two tallies.

ALAMEDA
Madera, rf.....4 0 0 0 0
Malu, ss.....5 2 1 6 0
O'Keefe, 3b.....4 0 0 1 0
Hanahan, c.....5 1 7 1 1
Riley, cf.....5 1 3 0 0
Linthicum, 2b.....4 2 4 3 1
Church, 1b.....4 1 9 1 0
Woods, lf.....4 2 2 0 0
Totals.....39 9 27 15 2

RICHMOND
S. Pinto, 4f.....5 1 1 0 0
Dommes, 2b.....5 0 0 1 3
J. Baldwin, 1b.....5 2 10 2 0
J. Pinto, cf.....3 0 1 0 0
C. Baldwin, rf.....4 1 5 2 1
Kufonon, ss.....4 1 1 1 4
Phillips, 3b.....4 1 8 0 0
Swenson, c.....4 1 8 0 0
Medo, p.....4 3 0 1 1
Totals.....38 12 27 8 9
Johnson for Dommes in the second inning.

HOLLYWOOD TROUNCES CUBS
LOS ANGELES, March 14.—While but one victory out of three games played with the Hollywood Pacific Coast League club over the weekend, the Chicago Cubs are returning to their Catalina training camp in a disgruntled mood. Hollywood took the last game 5-3.

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RESULTS OF STANDARD OIL PIN CONTESTS

Fast playing featured last nights finals in the Standard Oil Bowling tournament played at the Seventh street alleys.

Tonight the County league tournament comes to a close.

Last nights results were:
LABOR DEPARTMENT
Handicap.....23 23 23—69
Westman.....190 184 200—574
Giffin.....174 179 183—536
Carr.....152 184 169—505
Nesbitt.....176 215 196—587
Bloomquist.....174 180 169—513

BOILER SHOP NO. 1
Handicap.....49 49 49—147
Newell.....183 161 172—516
Myers.....219 173 187—579
Burns.....133 169 135—437
Sullivan.....239 175 167—581
O'Rourke.....125 182 120—427

CAN FACTORY
Handicap.....101 101 101—303
Slattery.....203 190 188—581
Frazier.....135 191 138—465
Hunt.....205 191 157—547
Kirk.....160 134 128—416
G. Young.....168 175 168—511

SHOOK NO. 1
Handicap.....56 56 56—168
Vanhook.....195 172 178—545
Widner.....122 149 152—423
Diltz.....124 150 182—456
Gregg.....147 194 200—541
Schimpff.....141 163 167—471

PIPE SHOP
Handicap.....98 98 98—294
Hanson.....149 124 170—443
R. Kneeland.....162 168 154—484
L. Kneeland.....143 148 124—415
Wunderlich.....166 155 126—447
Green.....181 127 205—513

Petuya Victor In Cue Match
E. Petuya copped last night's match in the billiard tournament being played at the Fern Leaf cigar store by taking the first game from D. Shaw, 50-44, and also the third, 49-50. Shaw took the second game, 50-43. The match was fast, with both players pressing each other to the limit. Tomorrow night J. Pedrotti and Allen step another go. Allen will yield a 15-point handicap to Pedrotti.

Portuguese Aviator To Try Flight Over
(By Universal Service)
RIO JANEIRO, March 14.—Major Sarmiento Belres, the Portuguese aviator, who planned to hop the Atlantic and landed off Brazil, near the western coast of Africa, will return to Bolama, Portuguese New Guinea, to try his flight over again. It was learned here today.

Former Official Of Chile Is Arrested
(By Universal Service)
SANTIAGO, Chile, March 14.—Augustin Edwards, formerly the representative of the Chilean government at the Tacna-Arica plebiscitary commission, was arrested yesterday at Teceplia, by order of the government, it was learned today.

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U. S. MARINES WILL EVACUATE CHINESE CITY

(By Universal Service)
LONDON, March 14.—Orders have been issued for the American and British evacuation of Nanking according to a cable from the Shanghai correspondent of the Western Mail Gazette tonight. About 300 residents are involved in the dispatch states.

Nanking called the southern capital, is the capital of the province of Kiang-Su and is situated about 580 miles southeast of Peking. It is a great military depot.

LONDON, March 14.—Conflicting reports are being received in London tonight about the clash between the Northerners and the Southerners in the Chinese civil war.

According to dispatches from Sun forces the Cantonese failed to break the Northern line in repeated attacks on Wu-Kiang while other reports indicate that this clash was merely an incidental skirmish and that the fall of Nanking is likely at any moment.

U. C. Optimistic Over Chances In Track Contests

BERKELEY, March 14.—Coach Walter Christie's track athletes will rest this Saturday after competing in the interclass meet Tuesday and Thursday, and then commence preparation for the meet with the Los Angeles Athletic club track team at Berkeley March 19, 1927.

California seems amply supplied with first place winners; there is an outstanding man in nearly every event, but the team's strength ends there. Christie is having trouble finding second and third place men.

In the high jump Hampton is good for points in any meet, but far there have been only a flock of mediocre five-foot-nine jumpers to add to California's chances in this event. Of the lot, Montague, who won the California-Stanford freshmen meet last year with a leap of 6 feet 1-4 inch, looks the most promising.

The mile run will be well taken care of again for the third successive year by Les Schwoboda, who is already running close to the 4:30 mark with Carter and Cherry, two new men, trailing him to the tape. Elmer Boyden, also running his third and last year, should be the coast's premier half-miler this year. Dave Chase, freshman captain and miler last year, has turned to the 880 this season and is finishing right behind Boyden.

Homer Van Gelder, of whom great things were expected in the sprints this year, has been troubled with colds and flu all through practice season. However, the sudden development of Charlie Giguere and Russ Ewing remove all anxiety as to whether any points will be forthcoming in the sprint. They are still talking about Ewing's 9.9 second 100 yard dash in the alumni meet, and Giguere defeated Van Gelder by three yards in the 100-yard run in the interclass meet Tuesday.

Strap For Speeders Says Police Judge
(By Universal Service)
SACRAMENTO, March 14.—"A good sound strapping in the good old fashioned way" is the remedy advised by Police Judge Frank Gaffney of the police court here for curtailment of speeding. This was the judge's advice to J. H. Norton, instructor in Sacramento Junior college when he threatened Norton's son to a 4 day term in jail for driving 40 miles an hour on a Sacramento street.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD.

Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr. Tells Of Early Life And Conflict With His Family

By CORNELIUS VANDERBILT JR. (Copyright 1927, Universal Service)
NEW YORK, March 14.—There have been many misleading statements made about me and my newspaper troubles, for this reason I wish to give the public and particularly my stockholders, a full and impartial view of the real situation. My life has been one full of kaleidoscopic adventures, here and abroad, before, during and after the war, and I trust in reading of it, the public will not find it uninteresting. I will spare no details; no matter how private a nature that may be necessary for a truthful story.

DUTY TO HUMANITY
I have felt since I was very young that we all owe a duty to humanity; that we must do something to pay for the privilege of being born into this world, that the greater our inheritance of wealth and position, the greater our individual responsibility.

That "right should conquer might" has been to me more than an empty phrase, though at times one despairs of ever seeing the light again, so deep are the shadows which envelop him.

Before I begin in detail my publishing experiences permit me to sketch briefly some of the events of my earlier life, in order that I may show the influences by which I was surrounded.

EARLY LIFE
From a very early age I had travelled most extensively, some of the summers were spent in Europe; others at Newport, and frequent cruises on my father's yacht the "North Star." The winter I attended private schools in this country and in Europe I was all the time carefully watched by a number of nurses, tutors, companions, detectives and guards of every conceivable nature.

My first school experience was at the age of nine, when I attended a small English school, at Malvern. Being the only American there I had rather a tough time with the English boys. Then I was sent to Pine Lodge, a military academy near Lakewood. This was a sort of an outdoor school, where we did a lot of camping. It was here I had my first experience in publishing; I edited and wrote most of the school paper.

SCHOLAR GERMANY
Next I went to a school at Bad Nauheim, Germany, while my mother was taking the cure. After six months there my family got me in a very exclusive Russian school near St. Petersburg, now Leningrad, so that I might come in contact with the young Czarévitch who was attending that school. I was amazed at the actions of the young Russian noblemen who made up the school body. Their treatment of servants was so different from anything I had ever seen. I saw one little chap, a few years old grand-duke, pick up a riding whip and slam his body-servant over the head with it.

Later during the war I was never surprised when I saw what poor control the Russian officers had over their soldiers. Fear alone will not make a properly disciplined army.

My family were furious when they found out that I hated these little Russian brats, and was not forming any "desirable" friendships with them, so they jerked me out of there and rushed me to Meran in the Austrian Tyrol, where there was a school, attended by the sons of the Austrian and German royal families. When they found that their influence was not sufficient to get me in the school, they established me under the guardianship of a tutor at a nearby hotel, so that I might gain glimpses of these young snobs at play.

"VULGAR AMERICAN"
Realizing that my "vulgar American" instincts were preventing me from developing any feelings of sympathy, for these supercilious continental sprigs, they decided to send me back to the United States.

I spent a year at St. Paul's in Concord, New Hampshire; I got along famously here but having contracted pneumonia it was felt that a less severe climate would be beneficial.

MEET PRINCE HENRY
Fearing that my French was being neglected by too long a stay in America, I was shipped back across the water, and attended a French school at Ouchy in Switzerland, for awhile. That spring I went to Norway on the yacht and spent some time there with a tutor; where I delighted the family by scraping up an acquaintanceship with Prince Henry of Prussia. He was a funny old man, who spent most of his time collecting butterflies and insects. He used to take me along on many of his hunting expeditions. Armed with a butterfly net and apiece and followed by a retinue of six or seven stolid-looking Germans, we would start out across the mountains.

Prince Henry kept expressing bitter enmity for England and several times told me that the German fleet would utterly destroy the British fleet if they ever "got at them."

This reminds me of something I heard on the other side of the question. Once, several years before the war, when visiting at a great country home in England, I chanced to overhear a conversation between Lord Fisher, then head of the British navy and a British cabinet minister. Fisher had evidently been trying to impress upon the cabinet minister the advisability of attacking the German fleet without warning and destroying it, before a declaration of war. He used the expression "we must copenhagen them," several times.

Manages School Paper
My family then discovered that a lot of young men from influential families, like the Rockefeller, Armours, McCormicks, were attending a newly organized school called the Lake-Placid Florida school, so I was brought back to this country and spent the next two and a half years at this institution. I thoroughly enjoyed it. The spring and fall were spent at Lake Placid, New York state; and the winters near Miami, Florida. Here I was managing editor of the "Migrator," the monthly school paper.

Fearing that I was having too good a time, or forming too close associations with some of the boys who were not in the "social register," they pulled me out suddenly

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and sent me to Harstrom's tutoring school at Norwalk, Connecticut, to complete my preparation for college.

My mother and father had been having a bitter row for years over the college which I should attend. My father, since he himself and nearly all the members of his family had been to Yale, could see no reason why I wouldn't do for me. But my mother felt that Harvard was the only college in this country that had a desirable tone; but she preferred Oxford in England; for she thought the best polish could be gotten there. I settled the argument by not going to college at all.

Traveled Great Deal
When I was 16 years of age I had crossed the Atlantic 38 times, and there was hardly a place in Europe which I had not visited. The only parts of this country with which I was familiar were some restricted spots on the Atlantic seaboard. It was thought that too much travel in this country would have a demoralizing and democratizing effect.

I spoke French quite fluently, in fact I think that was the only thing I gained from the varied attempts to educate me, save the ability to read and write. German, Spanish, and Italian I could only speak slightly. My mother was quite irritated at my lack of progress in German; she always had a penchant toward the Germans, particularly the German court, and she was an intimate friend of the Kaiser, the Crown Prince, and many of the powerful nobility. She often visited them in their castles and had them aboard our yacht for luncheons and dinners.

The "North Star" was at Kellham's during the regatta week. I remember quite well once when the Kaiser was dining aboard the yacht that he said he could not hold his people back, that he felt there would soon be a great European war between Germany and Austria and England and France.

Later the Kaiser pleased me by complimenting the little newspaper which I was then getting out on the yacht. We had a crew of more than 70 men aboard, and all of them were enthusiastic subscribers. I had set up a little printing press in one of the galleys and had arrangements with the wireless man to get all the news first. The little paper must have been quite interesting to the crew because quite often we were two or three weeks away from land.

I spent much of my youth in England hanging around as close to the court circles as my family could get me. I remember particularly the late King Edward's funeral and the coronation of George V. The pomp and vanity of the English court was from the "ter," they pulled me out suddenly

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